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STEAMERS ABANDONED.

After being imprisoned on the wrecked oil steamer Northeastern nine miles off Cape Hatteras for 36 hours, Captain Wilder and his crew of 21 men were taken ashore at noon yesterday by the crews of Kinnakeet, Creeds Hill and Hatteras life-saving stations. The big steamer is pounding on Diamond Shoals under a terrible sea, and the crew say, will be a total loss.

In a bewildering fog Tuesday night the Northeastern, on her way up the coast from Port Arthur, Tex., to New York, with a cargo of crude petroleum, showed her bow into the deadly sands off Hatteras, and was fast in the clutches of the graveyard of shipping before her crew realized what had happened. This was at 11 o'clock, and before day had come the gale that swept over the country from the middle West had struck the sea and waves were crashing over the helpless vessel incessantly.

The force of the wind and tide threw her on her port beam, and the flood of water extinguished her fires before her inflammable cargo could be ignited. Had this not been the case, the 22 men aboard the Northeastern would have met a horrible fate.

The steamship Northeastern has a curious history. She was one of four vessels built for freighting on the Great Lakes by a Chicago shipbuilding firm and was afterward found unprofitable in that traffic. With a sister ship, the Northwestern, she was cut in half and transferred in sections to the Atlantic seaboard. The two vessels made several trips across the Atlantic, and then confounded their operations to the coasting trade. They were of peculiar design, having the engine well aft, with large cargo space forward, and stubby masts for hoisting purposes, making them well adapted to a general cargo. Recently the Standard Oil Company engaged the four vessels on a year's charter to run bulk oil from Port Arthur, Texas. They were ordered to New York to fit out as bulk-oil carriers to run between that point and Philadelphia and New York.

With her signals of distress and her half-masted ensign still flying the steamer Drumelzier was abandoned last night as a total wreck by her captain and a dozen officers and crew, who were taken off the craft and landed on Oak Island by the crews of the Fire Island and Oak Island life-saving stations. Early in the day 18 men of the crew were taken off the stranded steamer by the surfboat of the Sandy Hook station, which was towed down to the scene. The men were brought to New York later on a tug. Captain Nicholson, Chief Engineer Wood and the remainder of the officers and crew decided to remain aboard until officially notified that the vessel had been placed in the hands of the wrecking company in order to obviate any claim for salvage on the derelict. The Drumelzier is so badly damaged that all hopes of saving her have been practically abandoned. Every effort will be made to save her cargo, which is valued at \$600,000 and was bound for Havre, France.

MYSTERIOUS DEATHS.

The two young women who met tragic deaths in New York in a manner strikingly similar were identified yesterday. The identification does not, however, clear up the mystery attending the deaths of the women, both of whom died as the result of broken necks. The theory of murder is being investigated by the police.

The girl who was found unconscious in Riverside drive and who died without regaining consciousness, was recognized last night by John F. Mangano as his sister, Mary Mangano, who had been employed in New York, as a domestic. She left home Christmas morning to attend church, and her family was unable to trace her whereabouts until the brother identified the body in the morgue as that of his sister. The other woman, who was discovered dead in a Delancy street basement, was recognized as Mrs. Cecilia Butler, the widow of a railroad employee, who died two weeks ago.

John W. Goff, jr., son of Recorder Goff, went to the morgue last night, and after looking at the body of Miss Mangano, said she was the same person he had seen in Riverside drive late Sunday evening.

Mr. Goff said he was walking on the drive, near 116th street, when the woman called to him from the park. He assisted her up the steps from the park to the drive and then went his way. This was about four blocks above the point where the body was found the next day. Coroner's Physician Weston is of the opinion that death may have resulted from either accident or assault. Coroner Scholer believes Miss Mangano was murdered.

The police incline to the belief that Mrs. Butler's death followed an accident though they admit that many of the circumstances of the case point to a possible murder.

Bruises on the body indicate that a struggle may have preceded the fatality. It is evident that if murder was committed, robbery was not the motive, as her jewelry was not removed and in her purse \$17 was found. An autopsy will be performed today.

Fight With a Madman.

Becoming suddenly insane, Rocco Salvini, an Italian, of St. Louis, cut the throat of his brother Albert yesterday and was himself probably fatally shot by a policeman. The shooting was the culmination of a terrible struggle between the insane man and one of his two brothers, who had taken turns in keeping watch over the maniac. The fight took place in a small room occupied by the Italians and lasted nearly two hours before several policemen broke in the door of the room. The maniac sprang at the policeman and one of them shot him in the body. The insane man, though badly wounded, continued the fight for several minutes before he was overcome. With his wounded brother he was taken to the City Hospital. Albert is suffering from 20 wounds in the head and neck. Rocco Salvini was shot through the stomach. Rocco will probably die, while Albert, whose wounds are not very deep, may recover. The coats of the two policemen were slashed by the knife wielded by Rocco.

Exports.

Exports of manufactured articles from the United States will this year probably exceed \$500,000,000. The record for the eleven months of the year which, according to the report made public yesterday by the Department of Commerce and Labor, foots up the enormous total of \$459,575,923, which is considerably larger than the value of 1900's exports which counted 441 millions and held the record up to the present year. The shortage in the wheat supply, coupled with the usually large surplus in other countries have caused the exports in breadstuffs from the United States to fall off greatly in the last year. The products of the mines, on the other hand, show an increase of \$3,000,000 for the export trade, the products of the forests \$1,900,000. On the import side this year was \$939,381,659 as against \$917,725,693 in the corresponding months of last year. The greatest increase in imports occurs in articles of food, chiefly sugar and coffee.

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